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In re application: Leung et al.

Serial No.: 09/738,243

Filed: December 15, 2000

For: Method and Apparatus for Dual  
Hardware and Software  
Cryptography§  
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Examiner: Colin, Carl G.

Attorney Docket No.: AUS920000814US1

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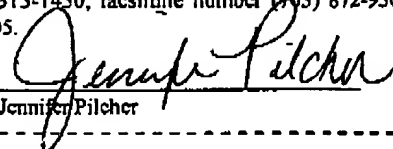
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